

CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

Please amend claims 1-18 as provided below:

1. (Currently Amended) ~~A housing~~Housing or enclosure, like for housing a galvanic tank (12), comprising end walls (14A, 14B) and side walls (16A, 16B) that can be opened and closed at least partially, as well as roof sections (18A, 18B), ~~for which~~wherein at least one of the side walls is formed as a hanging (20A, 20B) that can be wound up at the bottom end and that is kept ready and can be raised and lowered by means of an end bar (22A, 22B) guided on both ends, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ the one or more guided end bars ~~bar~~ (22A, 22B) is formed as a profile (P), which forms at least partially forms a roof section in the ~~a~~ closed state, and the hanging (20A, 20B) is fixed to hang essentially vertically on the edge zone of this ~~the~~ profile directed towards at least one side wall (16A, 16B).

2. (Currently Amended) ~~Housing~~A housing or enclosure according to Claim 1, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ one end bar (22A, 22B) comprises a guided region and at least one freely projecting (cantilever)cantilever region.

3. (Currently Amended) ~~A housing or enclosure~~Housing according to Claim 2, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ the free edge of an ~~outwards~~outwardly pointing cantilever surface (32A, 32B) pivots outwards when closing relative to the end bar guide (26A, 26B).

4. (Currently Amended) ~~A housing or enclosure~~Housing according to Claim 3, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ at least one part of the cantilever surface (32A, 32B, 34A, 34B) is collapsible and/or foldable.

5. (Currently Amended) ~~A housing or enclosure~~Housing according to Claim 4, characterized in that ~~wherein~~ the one or more collapsible and/or foldable parts of the cantilever surface (32A, 32B, 34A, 34B) is swung open or closed or folded up or unfolded depending on the position of the end bar (22A, 22B) essentially by its own weight.

6. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to Claim 4-~~or~~ 5, characterized in that wherein the one or more collapsible and/or foldable parts of the cantilever surface (~~32A, 32B, 34A, 34B~~) are supported by means of a mechanical device and/or a drive in its collapsing and/or folding movement.

7. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to ~~one of Claims 1 to 6~~Claim 1, characterized in that further comprising a drive (~~44A, 44B~~) for opening and closing the side walls (~~16A, 16B~~), as well as the roof sections, wherein the drive (~~18A, 18B~~) is removed from load by at least one counterweight (~~66A, 66B~~) or another weight compensating device at least over a partial length of the travel path.

8. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to Claim 7, characterized in that wherein the weight compensating device is formed such that the drive (~~44A, 44B~~) of the side walls (~~16A, 16B~~), as well as the roof sections (~~18A, 18B~~), which can be opened and closed, is loaded by the compensating device on a partial length of the travel path.

9. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to Claim 7-~~or~~ 8, characterized in that wherein at least the weight compensating device is designed according to the position of the side walls (~~16A, 16B~~), as well as the roof sections (~~18A, 18B~~), which can be opened and closed, so that it can exert a different weight unloading or loading.

10. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to ~~one of Claims 1 to 9~~Claim 1, characterized in that wherein a wind-up shaft (~~24A, 24B~~) of the hanging (~~20A, 20B~~) can be raised and lowered especially in a vertical guide (~~26A, 26B~~).

11. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to ~~one of Claims 1 to 10~~Claim 1, characterized in that wherein a wind-up shaft (~~24A, 24B~~) is fixed to the hanging (~~20A, 20B~~), such that it can be moved by the hanging (~~20A, 20B~~).

12. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure~~Housing~~ according to

Claim 11 or 12, characterized in that further comprising a wind-up drive (38A, 38B) driving the wind-up shaft, wherein the wind-up drive (24A, 24B) is unloaded by a counterweight (68A, 68B) or another weight compensating device.

13. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure Housing according to one of Claims 1 to 12 Claim 1, characterized in that wherein the hanging (20A, 20B) has at least one alloy forming a lubricant film, especially a rubber alloy.

14. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure Housing according to one of Claims 1 to 13 Claim 1, characterized in that wherein the end bar (22A, 22B) is formed as a suction channel and/or is equipped with or comprises at least one suction channel.

15. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure Housing according to Claim 14, characterized in that wherein the suction channel connects to a suction opening or port of a suction line or is connected to it, e.g., thereto in a closed position of the housing (10).

16. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure Housing according to the preamble of Claim 1, especially according to one of Claims 1 to 15, characterized in that wherein at least one end bar (22A, 22B) at least partially stabilizes a wind-up shaft (24A, 24B) of the hanging against bending by means of the hanging (20A, 20B).

17. (Currently Amended) A housing or enclosure Housing according to the preamble of Claim 1, especially according to one of Claims 1 to 16, characterized in that wherein at least one of the end walls (14A, 14B) has a seal opening (28), which reaches up to the housing roof (18A, 18B) and which continues into a closable roof section opening (30) and that wherein the end bar (22A, 22B) has a cantilever surface (34A, 34B) at least partially closing and opening the roof section opening (30).

18. (Currently Amended) Sliding A sliding gate for a housing or enclosure for housing a galvanic tank, the sliding gate comprising a hanging (20A, 20B) that can be wound up at the a bottom end and a raising and lowering end bar (22A, 22B), which is

guided on both ends thereof and keeps the hanging ready, especially for a housing according to one of Claims 1 to 17, characterized in that wherein the end bar (22A, 22B) is formed as a profile, which forms at least partially a roof section in a closed state, and the hanging is fixed to hang essentially vertically on an edge zone of the profile directed towards at least one side wall of the housing or enclosure has the characterizing features of at least one or more of Claims 1 to 17.